UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

Mary C. Strom,

Civil No. 07-150 (DWF/RLE)

Plaintiff,

v. ORDER

Michael J. Astrue, Commissioner of Social Security,¹

Defendant.

Fay E. Fishman, Esq., Peterson & Fishman, counsel for Plaintiff.

Lonnie F. Bryan, Assistant United States Attorney, United States Attorney's Office, counsel for Defendant.

Based upon the Report and Recommendation of Chief United States Magistrate

Judge Raymond L. Erickson, and after an independent review of the files, records and

proceedings in the above-entitled matter,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The Plaintiff's Motion for an Award of EAJA Fees (Doc. No. 26) is **GRANTED**.

On February 12, 2007, Michael J. Astrue became the Commissioner of Social Security, and pursuant to Rule 25(d)(1), Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, we have substituted him as the named Defendant.

2. Pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, that a total of \$6,989.14, in costs and attorney fees, is awarded to the Plaintiff.

Dated: May 16, 2008 <u>s/Donovan W. Frank</u>

DONOVAN W. FRANK

Judge of United States District Court